



## D.C. Metro Grad Chapter "Swing Phi" News You Can Use"

### Notes from Our Prez

#### *OLA and Welcome Family,*

We are so excited about what the future holds in store for our **DC Metro Graduate Chapter of Swing Phi Swing Social Fellowship, Inc.**

This is a year of "*Change*" on both our National and Local levels. As we strive to continue the mission of promoting higher intelligence, serving our community with integrity and **Supporting Women In Need of Growth**, we anticipate growth in our chapter and boldly accept the challenges ahead.

The *DivaGram* will keep you informed on our current and upcoming activities and services. We ask you to please stay tuned and come fellowship with us, for we know.....

**"The Best Is Still Yet To Come!"**

**Yours In Sisterhood,**

**Mary B. Johnson, President**

D.C. Metro Graduate Chapter

Fayetteville State University, Fall 1972



### August's Chapter Meeting

**Date:** Friday, August 14, 2009

**Time:** 7:00p.m.

**Telephone #:** 301-937-1933

**Hosted By Sisters:**

**Bobbi Harvard and Sharon Chandler**

### Scholarship Update

**Full-Time Undergraduate and Graduate Student Scholarships Available**

**Deadline: September 30, 2009**

Contact: Sister Krystal Costner:

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Founding Sisters

### Bridging & Reclaiming Our Sisters

**\*\*\*GET\*\*\*EXCITED\*\*\***

The **Ladies of the DC Metro Graduate Chapter** invites each of you to join us as a **NEW** graduate member OR ReUnite with us as we move forward with our National mission of:

*Supporting Women In Need of Growth.*

We are dedicated to community service, academic excellence and heightening community and cultural consciousness.

We encourage sisters and women of interest to support us physically, spiritually and financially. We **NEED** you, **WANT** you, & **INVITE** you to get involved!

"No matter how far a person can go, the horizon is still way beyond you - "  
(Zora Neale Hurston)

**Let's KEEP STRIVING for that HORIZON!**

**Brenda Torrence, Membership Chair**

Calling All Sisters To The Floor...

Live in the D.C. area? We **need** you to get involved?

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### June/July 2009’s Reflections

- June’s Chapter Meeting  
Sister Jackie Jackson, Hostess
- Sister Tanya G. DeSheilds  
Birthday Celebration
- SWING Night At The Movies:  
“My Sister’s Keeper”
- 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cruise
- Daughter For A Day Cook-out

### News from National

On Saturday, August 1<sup>st</sup> 2009  
the Sisters of Swing Phi Swing, Inc.  
welcomed our newly elected  
Board of Directors and Executive Officers.

Congratulations Sisters, we look  
Forward to supporting you!!

### SummerTime Reading

Join us as we read:

“What does not kill you”

And stay tuned for our Book Getogther

### Reclaiming Our Sisters:

Sister Janice Ray, UDC  
and;  
Sister Deidre Flippen, Wilberforce

### “FUN” Raising

Chic-Fil-A: 4:00p – 8:00p  
Friday, August 28, 2009  
Largo, Maryland  
301-333-1981

### August’s Events

- August 2: Summer Breeze Cook-out
- August 16: DFTD: Rosecroft Raceway
- August 28, 2009” Chick-Fil-A, Largo, MD

### Community Service Opportunites

- Adopt-A-Road  
*(stay tuned – updates to follow)*
- Daughter For-The-Day  
Sunday, August 16, 2009  
4:00pm – 7:00pm  
Rosecroft Raceway  
Fort Washington, MD

### **Save The Date:**



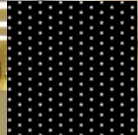
Saturday, December 5, 2009  
Annual Scholarship Gala



# The DivaGram

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- 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cruise
- 2009 Changing of the Guard
- Summer Breeze Cook-Out